Religious Education in the Year 9 class for Parents

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| **Term One** | **Term Two** | **Term Three** | **Term Four** |
| **Restoring the Balance:**  Fertile Question: Why should I care?  Students explore the imbalance between the rich and the poor in the world  and ponder reasons why people should and do care about this. They explore meditative prayer by experiencing the labyrinth walk | **Let There Be Light**  Fertile Question: To err is human, to forgive divine?  Students explore the imperfections of the  created world and the place of human beings in that world. | **Making Sense of Jesus**  Fertile Question: Where in the world do the words of Jesus take us?  Students are introduced to  two forms of Biblical criticism through Miracle and Parable Stories; they explore the three foundational  beliefs of Christianity-  Incarnation, Resurrection and Ascension of Jesus;prayer – Maranatha. | **Learning from the Past**  Fertile Question: What can be learnt by examining the past?  Students explore penance and healing and the sacrament of reconciliation.  They examine some of the writings of significant spiritual founders and how the Church responds to the needs of believers. |